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Powers, Pilot, No Longer With C. I. A.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3. — (C.D.N.) — Francis Gary Powers, former U-2 pilot, no longer is employed by the Central Intelligence Agency, says a C. I. A. spokesman.

Powers, who went to work for the C. I. A. here after his release from a Soviet prison nine months ago, appears to have slipped quietly out of town. Employees at his former apartment house in Alexandria, Va., said he moved out on October 8.

Col. Stanley J. Grogan, assistant C. I. A. director, said the agency has "no knowledge of his whereabouts." He refused to divulge the reasons for the separation of the data.

The pilot's father, Oliver Powers, reached in Norton, Va., was close-mouthed about his son's present circumstances. He did volunteer, however, that his son still living, has a good job, his health is better, and he's not nervous any more.

The 32-year-old pilot sued his wife, Barbara, for divorce last August. She filed a countersuit, and both cases are scheduled to be heard in Milledgeville, Ga., early in January.